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Information Regarding VALUABLE 1953

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1. The WSFISHY Directive for VALUABLE 1953 has been received. It is about the same as the one for 1952. The aim is still to keep the pot boiling but not to let it boil over. Operations will be of the same type but somewhat reduced. Aircert's general plan for VALUABLE 1953 is as follows:

- a. Support of HTNEIGH;
- b. Four leaflet raids by Broadway covert plane and crew (now being recruited);
- c. Three missions (sea infiltrations) as follows:
 - (1) One into the North (Scutari area);
 - (2) One into the Center (Tirana area);
 - (3) One into the South (Valona area).

2. The three missions will be of the intelligence type. The three teams will be composed of three or four men each. W/T communications will probably be used. Aircert has already recruited the team for the North. The team for the Center will probably be recruited from the fifty or so disposals now in the U.S. The team for the South will probably have to be recruited and, if so, Aircert plans to recruit in Greece, but not through HTNEIGH.

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